

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS
PINE BLUFF DIVISION

SHANE A. LONIX
ADC #145216

PLAINTIFF

v.

No. 5:19-cv-341-DPM

DERNITTA THOMAS, Lieutenant, Shift C,
ADC Administration, Cummins Unit;
QUILLEN, Sergeant, Guard, Cummins Unit;
and BRYANT, CO II, Guard, Cummins Unit

DEFENDANTS

ORDER

On *de novo* review, the Court adopts Magistrate Judge Volpe's recommendation, *Doc. 79*, and overrules Lonix's objections, *Doc. 81*. FED. R. CIV. P. 72(b)(3). Motion for summary judgment, *Doc. 69*, granted. Thomas, Quillen, and Bryant are entitled to qualified immunity on Lonix's excessive force claims against them. Those claims will therefore be dismissed with prejudice. Motions, *Doc. 80 & 82-83*, denied as moot.

So Ordered.

W. P. Marshall Jr.
D.P. Marshall Jr.
United States District Judge

12 May 2021